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8th District Newsletter

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Keep Cool this Summer!

Greetings to the people of St. Francis, Cudahy, South Milwaukee, and the 3rd and 10th wards of Oak Creek, I hope you are keeping hydrated on these hot Summer days. Since my last communication, the Board has been busy, putting together last resolutions before it disbands for the August recess. This month I have been visiting many of our county facilities, including the University of Wisconsin Cooperative Extension, the Vel Phillips Juvenile Detention Center, and many of our Parks in the Southern portion of the County. A warm thank you to both the many County and municipal officials I have met and had the opportunity to learn from. God bless!

"As [officials], we must constantly be asking ourselves, "are we serving our citizens in the best way possible? And are we committed to providing the highest level of service, even when it is hard?"

-David L. Sartori, July 2016



Supervisor Sartori attends the grand opening of the new Adventure Rock, located in the City of Milwaukee at the corner of North Avenue and Commerce. He even climbed the wall! Not bad for 74!

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Supervisor Sartori stands with Inspector Richard Schmidt at the Milwaukee County War Memorial in attendance at the graduation of recruit class 81 of the Milwaukee County Sheriff's Department.

Committee Corner

The Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors consists of 18 members, whose legislative workload is broken up into issue-specific committees. I am privileged this term to serve on the following committees: Transportation, Public Works, and Transit, Economic and Community Development, and Intergovernmental Relations.

TPWT: The Milwaukee County GO Pass, providing free bus fare to senior citizens and qualifying individuals with disabilities, has caused large shortfalls in the Milwaukee County Transit system's budget, running a deficit of 4 million plus dollars since the beginning of 2016. Many of you have contacted me with your support for the program, and I stand with you. While I in no way support revoking the program, the fact remains that this is an unfunded mandate. We the Board must find alternative revenue to support this ever increasing program, or face the tough decision to remove something which has expanded mobility for so many who previously have not had access to transportation. Although raising revenue is never a popular decision for lawmakers, I have been considering several possibilities for meeting the shortfall, and would appreciate hearing from my constituents about their own ideas to keep the program running.

Contact Me: My office is always happy to help with public maintenance requests, legislative inquiries, informational inquiries, etc.

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David's Desk: Juvenile Detention



Oversight, although not an often recognized function of the legislative branch, is vital to ensuring that County facilities meet at all the standards and requirements we hold them to. On July 7th, I had the privilege of touring the Vel Phillips Juvenile Detention Center, and interacting with both their staff and current offenders. With all of my experience in Corrections, I am happy to report the facility well-run, the staff knowledgeable, and the offenders well-cared for.

Events in the Community

Consider Nite-Glow Golf

Enjoy a non-conventional game of golf! [Nite-Glow golf](#) allows you to play after dark; tee time begins at 8:30pm.

Wisconsin State Fair

The [Wisconsin state fair](#) is being held at the state fairgrounds from August 4-14th.

Festivals at the Lakefront

[India Fest](#) August 20

[Irish Fest](#) August 18-21

[Mexican Fiesta](#) August 26-28

Public Notice: Mobile Market May be Coming Near You!

For those individuals interested in seeing the Mobile Market for yourselves, and even shopping there, [here](#) is their schedule!



Supervisor Sartori with employees of the Hunger Task Force inside their Mobile Market. From left to right: Mobile Market Distribution Specialist Geoff Smeja, Supervisor Sartori, and Hunger Task Force Educator Bard Meier.

Hunger Task Force: Mobile Market

On July 14th, I had the opportunity to visit the Hunger Task Force's Mobile Market. Through the help of a federal grant, the HTF has converted a large truck into a portable grocery store, which makes various stops around the county. The market services most those individuals living in food deserts, who often have neither access to fresh produce, nor transportation. Straight from Roundy's, the produce is 25% off, not only aiding the residents of Milwaukee County with nutrition, but helping them to avoid spending exorbitant amounts for the same items at corner stores. I visited the Market when it stopped at the Lake Forest apartments in Oak Creek, and had the privilege of speaking with both Hunger Task Force volunteers as well as attendees of the market. Please join me in commending the Hunger Task Force on their great work!

KELLY SENIOR CENTER



Meals served Weekdays at 11:30

Enjoy a nutritious meal and meet new friends. New diners are always welcome! Just make a reservation a day before at the dining site of your choice.

Rose....414-263-2255

Kelly.....414-483-3532

McGovern.....414-527-0990

Washington....414-933-2332

Wilson....414-282-3284

Fancy Food on a Stick Cook-off

Thursday August 11, 1:30

Donation: 3\$ Resident

It's state fair week and the local senior communities will be battling for the 2016 cook-off Championship Title. In honor of the State Fair, it is the chef's task of creating delicious and elegant food items served on a stick. Registration deadline: Thursday, August 4.



Lunch & Learn: Spices & Herbs

Tuesday, August 16 11:30

Preregistration Req. by Thursday, August 12: \$2.50 Suggested Donation.

The Lunch and learn will be held in the Senior Dining Site during meal service.

KELLY SENIOR CENTER

Ongoing Activities:

Mondays:

9:00 Weaving*
9:15 Morning Stretch
9:45 Rhythmic Dance
12:00 Pinochle
12:30 Mahjong
1:00 Quilting

Tuesdays:

9:00 Ceramics Instruction*
9:00 Quilting*
12:00 Pinochle
12:30 Needlework
12:00 Sheephead
1:00 BUNCO
1:00 Beginner Yoga*
1:30 Sheephead

Wednesdays:

9:00 Knit & Crochet
9:30 Painting and Drawing
9:30 Tai Chi*
12:00 Pinochle
12:00 Quilting*
1:00 Dominoes
1:00 Sheephead
1:00 Canasta

*Fee/Registration Req.

Ongoing Activities:

Thursdays:

9:00 Ceramics*
10:00 Quilting*
11:00 Gentle Yoga
12:00 Canasta
12:00 Pinochle
1:00 Arthritis Exercise*
1:00 Pony Tail

Fridays:

9:30 Bridge
9:15 Morning Stretch
9:45 Rhythmic Dance
10:00 Open Sewing*
10:00 Scrabble
10:30 Total Body Workout*
1:00 Wii Bowling

Daily:

Fitness Center
Billiards, Cards
11:30—Lunch*

*Fee/Registration Req.

Grobschmidt Senior Center

Senior Meal Site

The center offers a Senior Meal Site. The Senior Meal Site opens at 9:30 a.m., Monday through Friday. Suggested donation: \$2.50 Reserve at least one day in advance before 11AM by phone: 414-768-5722.



Floral Design by Cindy

August's design will be a rustic sunflower arrangement made with silk flowers. The class will take place on Wednesday, August 24th at 1:00pm and will last approximately 2 hours. The cost will be \$25 and pre-registration is required. The sign up sheet is located by the large calendar near the front entrance. The last day to sign up for this creative class will be Tuesday, August 16th.



Blood Pressure Screenings

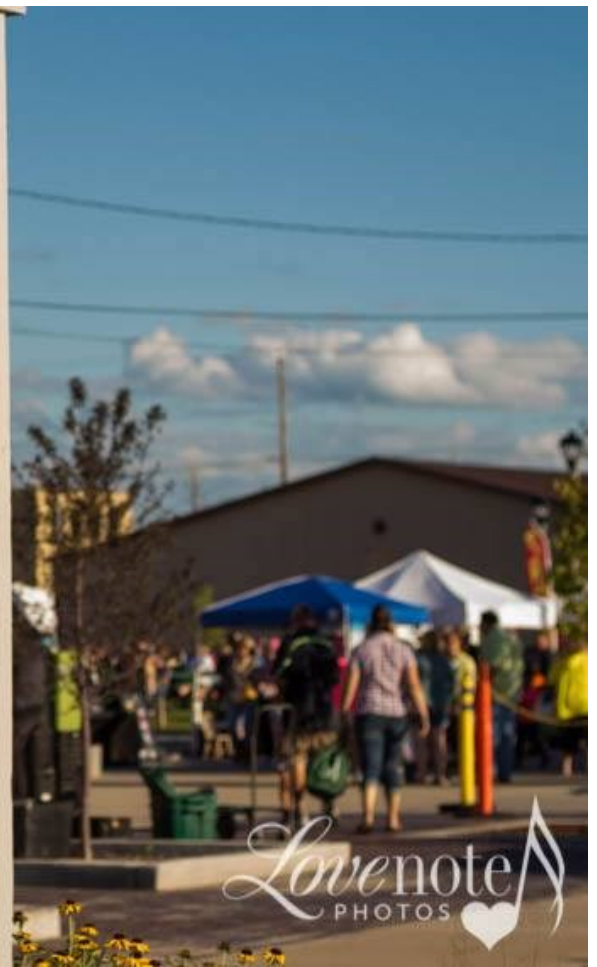
Toni, a center member and retired nurse, will be at the senior center taking blood pressures from 10:30-11:30 a.m. on Tuesday Aug. 9th and 23rd. She will be taking them in the area near the pool tables.





NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

The **Cudahy** Police Departments National Night Out celebration for 2016 will be held on Thursday August 4th from 4 until 8 pm. Over 50 organizations, food and refreshments available for purchase, along with the Cudahy Police, Fire and Department of Public Works will be on hand. The event will once again be held in the City Parking Lot by the Cudahy Family Library, 3500 Library Drive in downtown



SOUTH MILWAUKEE FARMERS' MARKET—AND SO MUCH MORE! The South Milwaukee Market is open from **3 to 7 p.m. every Thursday through October 8th.** Along with produce, you will find organics, arts, crafts, baked goods, dinner options, sweet treats, weekly live music and Family Fun! The members of the South Milwaukee Downtown Market Committee feel strongly that special market events will enhance your shopping experience, and they continue to deliver on that promise! The special events for August are:

August 4th--Old Worn Shoes--Country Rock 'N Blues 5-7

August 11th--The Carlos Adames Group--Latin Jazz 5-7

August 18th--Pebble Creek Crossing--Bluegrass 5-7

August 25th--James Murphey & The Vedic Eden--World 5-7

CONSTRUCTION IN SOUTH MILWAUKEE



CHICAGO AVENUE REHABILITATION (THE OAK CREEK TO PINE STREET) CONSTRUCTION INFORMATION

Work is underway on the Chicago Avenue Rehabilitation Project. Work will be done in multiple stages. Stage 1 will be shifting northbound and southbound traffic onto the southbound pavement, removal of northbound pavement, installation of sewer and water, and new pavement. Hawthorne Avenue east bound will be open during Stage 1. The second stage will be shifting northbound and southbound traffic onto the new northbound pavement, completion of utilities and new pavement.

Truck Traffic will be detoured during construction due to limited lane width. No Parking signs will be posted on Chicago from Cherry Street to Rawson Avenue. Traffic will likely increase on Hawthorne Avenue, Mill Road and other streets in the vicinity during construction.

More information is available [here](#).

CONSTRUCTION IN CUDAHY

- [Packard Avenue North - Sewer & Water](#)

The replacement of 100+ year old water main and sewer infrastructure on Packard Avenue between Cudahy and Lunham Avenues. Also includes storm sewer and lateral replacement for residents. Road reconstruction in 2017. The roadway is scheduled for reconstruction the following year in 2017.

[Construction Update #1 May 4, 2016](#)



- [Kirkwood Road Reconstruction](#)

The reconstruction of Kirkwood Avenue between Morris and Grange Avenue.

Kirkwood Ave-[Alley Detour for Business Deliveries](#)

- [Hazardous Sidewalk Project](#)

Hazardous sidewalks that were marked will be replacement in the City between the blocks of Swift and Lake Drive.

Construction in Cudahy

- **Barnard Avenue Extension Project**

Due to development at the former Iceport location, Barnard Avenue will be extended from Sweet Applewood Lane to Nicholson Avenue.

- **[2016 Asphalt Road Resurfacing Project](#)**

Mill and overlay 2" of the asphalt surface on various streets located in Districts 2 & 3. This work is considered "temporary" compared to full reconstruction and is done intentionally to buy time until the road can be fully reconstructed.

Please note only certain roads qualify for this method, many roads may seem worse, but may not warrant a mill/overlay and can only be reconstructed.

[Construction Update #1 June 10, 2016](#)

[Packard Ave Streetscape Plantings](#)



- **Stormwater Alley Improvement**

Another development at Squire & Layton requires the replacement of the alley at 3500 Layton. This project will utilize a new stormwater friendly alley construction style with porous pavers down the center.

Parking Lot & Plaza Upgrades

With DNR grant money, the public parking lot at Squire and the Plaza at Layton & Packard will be reconstructed using porous pavers for stormwater quality. Both methods will help improve stormwater quality in the area, while maintaining a beautiful landscape.

MILWAUKEE COUNTY PARKS



Adopt a Beach Clean up Sat., Sept. 10th

The **Friends of Grant Park**, partnering with **Alliance for the Great Lakes**, will host a fall beach clean-up on **Saturday, Sept. 10th** between 9 am and noon. We'll focus on the 7 Bridges Trail beach again, accessing it via Lot 5 parking area. We'll provide plastic bags, a latex glove, bug spray and lemonade. A check off sheet and pencil will help you note the type of garbage you collect, so that we can tally all the garbage data and use it to pinpoint problems on the beach.

Please pre-register if you plan to participate at www.greatlakesadopt.org. This will help us to have enough supplies for our volunteers.

Questions? Call Jody Johnson at (414) 764-7262.

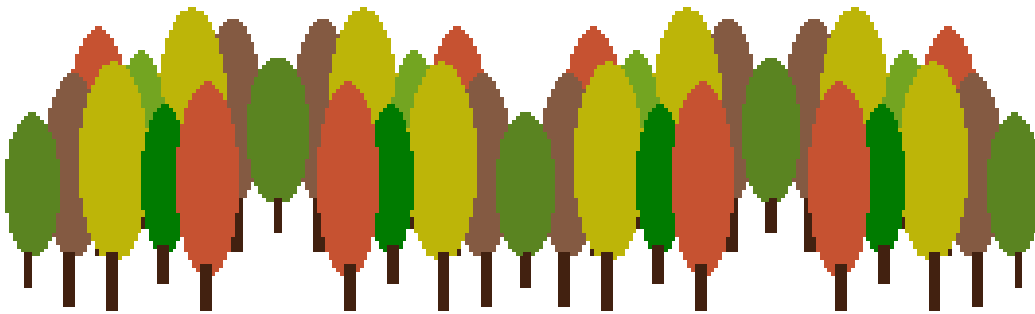
FRIENDS GROUPS

Join us at our monthly meetings!

The Friends of Grant Park and Grant Park Watch have their combined meetings on the second Thursday of each month at 6:30 PM at the [Grant Park Golf Course Clubhouse](#). Park Watch issues are always first on the agenda.

To contact the Friends of Grant Park: fogp@copper.net

<http://fogp.org/>



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414-482-3090

Consider Supporting the Friends of Milwaukee County Parks

Commemorate an event in one's life or dedicate a tree to a loved one through the Park People tree program.

The program is as simple as 1 2 3!

1. Pick the type of tree you want planted. The Park People offers three tree types; ornamental, evergreen, or shade.

- Ornamental trees are \$450 and examples of this type are: Crabapple, Japanese Lilac, Red Bud, etc.
- Evergreen trees are \$400.
- Shade trees are \$550 and examples are: Maple, Oak, Birch, etc.

2. Pick the park where the tree will be planted and in most cases the area of placement within that park.

3. Provide the words for the dedication. Each tree will have a 2x3 inch brass hang tag placed on a branch after planting with your words.

Our trees are placed during prime planting seasons in spring and fall.

Please call for more information and a brochure/order form. 414-273-7275.

General Mitchell International Airport

Ride-sharing has arrived at MKE



Ride-sharing services [Uber](#) and [Lyft](#) are now available to pick up passengers at MKE! To access these services, please use the designated pick-up area located near Baggage Claim Carousel #2. Use the exit marked "Doors to Ticketing." Traditional taxicabs also remain available for passengers outside Baggage Claim Exit #3.

OAK CREEK COMMUNITY CENTER

2016 Outdoor Rummages

June 14, 2016 @ 9:00 am –
October 8, 2016 @ 3:00pm

8580 So. Howell Avenue,

Oak Creek 53154

414-768-5840

August 13th and 27th,

September 10th and 24th,

October 8th

